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850-18

In re Application of: GREEN et al.

Application No.: 10/032,344

Filed: 23 January 2002

For: SATELLITE BROADCAST RECEIVING AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

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Robert W. Faris 20 August 2004

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Appl. No. 10/052,344

TC/A.U. 2685

Filed: 23 January 2002

Examiner: Vuong, Quochien B.

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**AMENDMENT**

This is applicants' response to the 5/20/94 Office Action. Applicants request the Examiner to reconsider and allow this application in view of the claim amendments and the following remarks.

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## PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

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Application or Docket Number

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850-18

## CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1)

(Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS	21	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	21 minus 20 = *	1
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 minus 3 = *	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1)

(Column 2)

(Column 3)

AMENDMENT A		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	* 31	Minus	** 21	= 10
	Independent	* 2	Minus	*** 3	= 0
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>				

(Column 1)

(Column 2)

(Column 3)

AMENDMENT B		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	*	Minus	**	=
	Independent	*	Minus	***	=
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(Column 1)

(Column 2)

(Column 3)

AMENDMENT C		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	*	Minus	**	=
	Independent	*	Minus	***	=
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OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	370.00	OR	BASIC FEE	740.00
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	18
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	758

SMALL ENTITY

OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	180
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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X\$ 9=	
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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